



## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
 United States Patent and Trademark Office  
 Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450  
 www.uspto.gov



Bib Data Sheet

CONFIRMATION NO. 3063

SERIAL NUMBER 10/781,412	FILING DATE 02/17/2004 RULE	CLASS 359	GROUP ART UNIT 2873	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 1232-5294
-----------------------------	-----------------------------------	--------------	------------------------	-------------------------------------

## APPLICANTS

Naoki Murasato, Tochigi, JAPAN;

\*\* CONTINUING DATA *No* \*\*\*\*\*\*\* FOREIGN APPLICATIONS *yes* \*\*\*\*\*  
JAPAN 2003-037565 02/17/2003

## IF REQUIRED, FOREIGN FILING LICENSE GRANTED

\*\* 05/15/2004

Foreign Priority claimed	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no			
35 USC 119 (a-d) conditions met	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> Met after Allowance			
Verified and Acknowledged	Examiner's Signature <i>[Signature]</i> Initials <i>[Initials]</i>			
	STATE OR COUNTRY JAPAN	SHEETS DRAWING 10	TOTAL CLAIMS <i>25 39</i>	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS <i>7 21</i>

## ADDRESS

27123  
 MORGAN & FINNEGAN, L.L.P.  
 3 WORLD FINANCIAL CENTER  
 NEW YORK, NY  
 10281-2101

## TITLE

Retainer, exposure apparatus, and device fabrication method

FILING FEE	FEES: Authority has been given in Paper No. _____ to charge/credit DEPOSIT ACCOUNT No. _____ for following:	<input type="checkbox"/> All Fees <input type="checkbox"/> 1.16 Fees ( Filing ) <input type="checkbox"/> 1.17 Fees ( Processing Ext. of time ) <input type="checkbox"/> 1.18 Fees ( Issue ) <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
RECEIVED 4704		

Credit